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FRANCIS BRIDGE ACROSS THE CANADIAN WASHES OUT

PARLIAMENT WITH ORLANDO

OVERWHELMING VOTE OF CONFIDENCE GIVEN ITALIAN PREMIER.

By the Associated Press

ROME, April 30.—Premier Orlando's government was given a vote of confidence by 382 to 40 last night by the Italian parliament.

The premier laid before parliament the details of his demands for Fiume and Dalmatian coast districts and said the international situation is grave at present and very grave for Italy, declaring it to be Italy's duty to maintain an attitude of "calm and serenity."

Orlando reiterated that the treaty of London did not prevent the allies from considering the Fiume situation from the Italian viewpoint and that moreover the allies had admitted they were in no wise bound regarding Fiume since they considered themselves capable of agreeing to the freedom of that city.

It is reported that Lloyd-George, the British premier, has sent one of his most trusted lieutenants to Orlando with a plea that Italy reconsider her action and consider the matter further.

HAYWOOD TOLBERT LOSES CAR AND ALMOST DROWNED IN ATTEMPT TO CROSS.

For several days the report has been current that the new low water bridge near Francis was unsafe and that it had been sinking. The reports were confirmed about ten o'clock this morning when Haywood Tolbert, son of Hon. Sid Tolbert, who lives two miles southwest of Ada, in attempting to cross the bridge in a Ford car drove off the bridge at a point where a section had washed out and came very near losing his life.

Young Tolbert had the car packed with all his personal belongings and was making his way to Okmulgee where he was going to take work. It appears that the rains of yesterday and last evening, in the northern part of the state, had swollen the stream until the bridge was covered with water, obscuring it to such an extent that young Tolbert did not observe the washout until the front wheels of the car were off the bridge. He threw the car in reverse and attempted to make his escape, but his efforts were in vain. The car with all its contents plunged into the river and was lost, and up to this writing no trace of it has been found.

Mr. Tolbert disentangled himself after the car plunged into the water, but as he was so near exhausted in the effort that he would have been drowned had it not been for some women on the bank near by who threw him a rope and drew him to shore.

It has since been learned that one or two other parties living on the east side of the river came near meeting with the same accident last evening, but this information, of course, was unknown to Mr. Tolbert.

The news of the washout will cause much discomfort in this locality, as the people had hoped that the low water bridge would prove a success and solve what has heretofore been a difficult trade problem for Francis and Ada.

33 COUNTIES OF OKLAHOMA OVER

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 30. (Special)—Beaver county broke the ice in the northwestern part of the state by going over the top this morning in the Victory Loan drive. This, however, was unofficial. Oklahoma still maintains her lead in the Tenth District notwithstanding a slump in receipts of subscriptions yesterday. N. R. Graham, state director, believes that this lead can be maintained to the end with the proper efforts exerted by county and community committees in securing subscriptions and the banks in submitting official reports.

Counties now officially over are: Alfalfa, Beckham, Caddo, Cleveland, Custer, Garfield, Grady, Harmon, Greer, Kingfisher, Kiowa, Ottawa, Pontotoc, and Tillman counties, which have unofficially reached their quotas are Beaver, Comanche, Dewey, Garvin, Grant, Hughes, Jackson, Jefferson, Love, McIntosh, Murray, Noble, Nowata, Okfuskee, Oklahoma, Osage, Roger Mills, Stephens, Washita.

NEW YORK ENJOINS NEW WAR TAXES

By the Associated Press

ALBANY, April 30.—Supreme Court Justice Rudd today upheld the contention of the public service commission that increased rates by the New York telephone company and Western Union telegraph company were illegal and unlawful and issued injunction orders preventing enforcement of the increases which were ordered by the postmaster general.

TWO BOYS PLEAD GUILTY TO LARCENY

Marvin Baker and Alex Hallmark were arrested near Tupelo Tuesday on charge of burglarizing the store of Ed Smith at Lulu the night before. The officer stated that they had part of plunder with them when apprehended. In view of the youth of the accused, the county attorney filed a charge of petit larceny to which they entered a plea of guilty in Justice Brown's court. He assessed a penalty of \$100 and thirty days in jail for each and they will be put on the road to work it out.

BAIL OF SEMINOLE CO. MAN FIXED AT \$25,000

This morning the habeas corpus petition of J. M. Grisso, charged with killing John Briscoe at Seminole May 29, came up for hearing in district court. The court fixed the bail of the defendant at \$25,000. His attorney stated that he could easily make this in Seminole county.

GOING AHEAD WITH TREATY

FIRST READING WITH GERMAN PRESENT FRIDAY OR SATURDAY.

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 30.—It is planned in peace conference circles to go ahead with the treaty without regard to action by Italy as it is considered probable that the Italian delegation will not return and could not return within the present week. Delivery of a draft of the treaty and first exchanges with the Germans will occur, therefore, without participation of Italy and it is said in American quarters the procedure will go forward steadily till the signing of the treaty.

The first reading with the Germans present will probably take place Friday afternoon or Saturday when the pact will be presented. The French view is that the Germans may ask for two weeks delay but this is a matter of conjecture, as there is no precise information of German intentions.

MAY DAY TO BE OBSERVED AT NORMAL

East Central will observe the afternoon of May 1 as a holiday and institute what is hoped to be an annual picnic. As so much time has been lost from recitation work this school year it is not deemed expedient to take the entire day. On the other hand, all the classes of the day will be held in the forenoon, each period being shortened so as to make this possible. At 1:30 p. m. the start will be made to the City Lake, at which place various games and stunts will be participated in. Not the least attraction will be the gasoline launch that has been placed upon the lake. Mr. Overby has promised a popular price to the students. The Ada Country Club has generously given fishing privileges to the school for this occasion. At 6 o'clock the school will lunch in groups such as inclination naturally forms. It is believed that the occasion will be very pleasant and one that will tend to increase the helpful school spirit that now exists.

BURLESON ADVANCES ADA PHONE RATES

Ada is among the numerous Oklahoma towns affected by Burleson's latest order raising telephone rates. The local manager stated that the new schedule would be given out Thursday.

22 MEN KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION

By the Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 30.—The revised casualty list today shows twenty-two men killed and eight seriously injured as the result of the explosion yesterday in the Majestic coal mine near here. Two of the dead were white men.

WIFE DOING GOOD WORK

"I have been bad off with stomach trouble and bloating for many years. No doctors or medicine helped me. On the advice of my druggist I bought a bottle of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and I don't want to miss a single dose. It has given me more benefit than all the medicine I have ever taken. I feel I am doing good to recommend it to others." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Gwin & Mays Drug Company and Druggists everywhere.—Adv.

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KIAO CHAU ROW THOUGHT SETTLED

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 30.—A formula for the solution of the problem of Kiao Chau province, which it is hoped will remove the probability of a definite break and prove mutually acceptable to the Chinese and the Japanese governments, has been reached by the powers, according to an authoritative statement today. The nature of the solution is not disclosed, however.

TAX ON COLD DRINKS IN EFFECT MAY 1.

The tax of 1c on every soft drink selling for 10c or less goes into effect May 1. This is collected by the seller and turned over to the internal revenue collector's office.

HEAVY EARTHQUAKE SHOCK IS RECORDED

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, April 30.—A very severe and prolonged earthquake estimated to have centered between 4,000 and 4,100 miles from Washington was recorded early at the Georgetown University seismological observatory.

Piano Need Tuning? Bishop, the Reliable Tuner from Oklahoma City, is still here. Phone 206. 4-30- Wed & Sat

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WEATHER FORECAST. Cloudy is the weather forecast for Thursday.

COUNCIL OF THREE IN SESSION AGAIN

By the Associated Press

PARIS, April 30.—The council of three met today half an hour earlier than usual. While no program was announced it was believed that the Italian situation as developed by the parliamentary endorsement of the Italian delegation's position was to be considered and discussion over Kiao Chau resumed.

For service car Phone No. 6, Bart Smith's Drug Store. Residence Phone 491. R. Downing, the Service Man. 4-30-6*

Mrs. Earl Sumner was reported ill today.

INTRODUCING BABY TO DADDY

—on his return from the trenches, is some occasion. The memories should be recorded in one of our Elegant Photographs. Phone for an appointment.

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GOOD ROADS MEETING HELD AT FITZHUGH

A meeting of the representative citizens of the little town of Fitzhugh and vicinity, assembled in Fitzhugh's magnificent public school building, was addressed by Prof. J. M. Gordon of this city, the question being that of the \$50,000,000 bond issue for roads, soon to be voted on by the voters of Oklahoma.

Mr. Gordon was introduced by the principal of the schools of Fitzhugh, and for over an hour he discussed the question of the bonds in a most able manner, meeting the arguments of the opponents of the bonds and convincing his audience that he had given the question much thought and that he was familiar with all facts involved in the controversy.

Mr. Gordon is sincere in his belief that the proposed bond issue is good, and that it should prevail, and his untiring efforts in behalf of the measure are bearing fruit if the applause he received at Fitzhugh is any indication.

The speaker of the evening was accompanied by Marvin Brown and wife, J. C. Ray and city commissioner W. B. Jones, all of this city. Mr. Gordon will address the voters of Center on the same question this evening.

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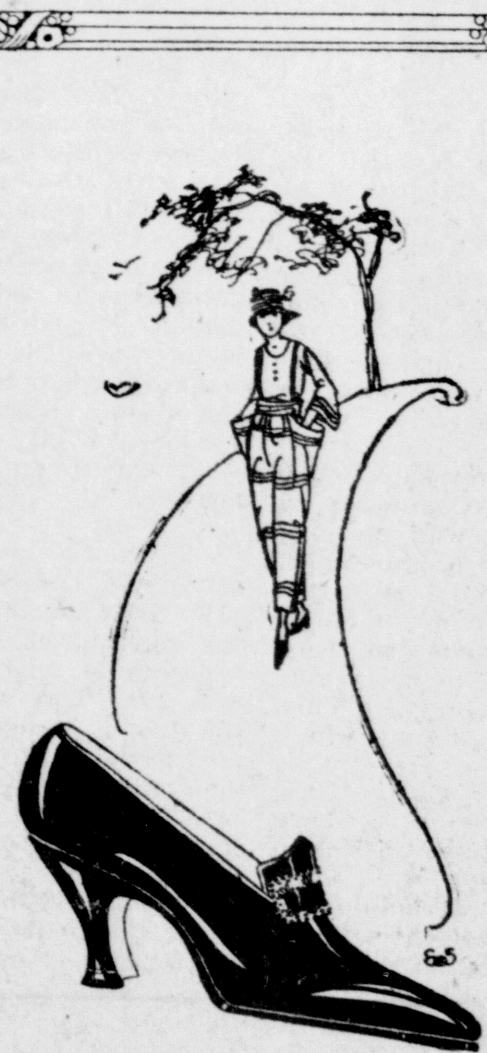
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The boast of an Oklahoma City
daily that there are ninety-seven
new residences under construction
in the capital and state's metropo-
lis should make the Ada citizen
swell with pride. A recent count
showed considerable over a hun-
dred under construction in this
contented and even tenored little
city.

There appeared in the Okla-
homan of recent date a dispatch un-
der a New York date line the state-
ment that the one person out of
every twenty-five of Gotham's in-
habitants were drug addicts of one
kind or another. Looks like that
might refute the argument of the
wets that prohibition makes dope
fiends.—New York, you know, is
wet as the proverbial rat.

The "Build Now" slogan adopted
by the Chamber of Commerce of
Oklahoma City might well be emu-
lated in Ada. The producers of
building materials tell us that
there will be no decline in price
for some time to come—at least
not until wages and everything
else declines accordingly. Then
why wait? Nobody wants wages
to decline.

The Rotary Club seems to have
come to stay. In many cities no
larger than Ada they are doing
wonders in the way of helping in
the industrial development of cit-
ies. They do not attempt to usurp

the prerogatives of commercial
clubs or any of the other orga-
nizations devoted to the welfare of
the community, as is fallaciously
believed by many, but they are, on
the other hand, a wonderful sup-
port to such organizations. Why
not investigate the merits and
methods of the Rotarians?

The Oklahoma soldier boys in
France are appealing to the peo-
ple back home to help them out
of a difficulty which they did not
anticipate when they went over to
help win the war, and which they
brand as unjust. The contention is
that the French and other allied
armies are being demobilized as
rapidly as possible while they, the
Americans, are being held for re-
construction work without any
promise of when they may be per-
mitted to return to friends and
loved ones. Regardless of our
confidence in our allies, there is
food for thought in the appeal of
Oklahoma soldiers recently made to
our people and published in the
daily press.

The joke of the season comes
from Budapest. According to press
dispatches the soviet government,
following the example of the Rus-
sian bolsheviks, promulgated a law
communizing women. When one
of the law makers reached home
and informed his wife and mother-
in-law of the matter war was de-
clared and he was yelling "kama-
rad." The upshot was that having
more influence in running the gov-
ernment than at home he succeed-
ed in suppressing the law. He did
not fear the powers of the oppo-
nents of the government or that of
the allies, but those two women
were too much for him. A string
of mother-in-law jokes is now in
order.

The announcement by Postmaster
General Burleson that the telephone
and telegraph lines will be return-
ed to their owners as soon as con-
gress can enact the necessary leg-
islation is about the wisest thing
Mr. Burleson has done in quite a
while. His intentions may have
been of the best, but certainly pub-
lic ownership was not made popu-
lar with the people which the
rates were being advanced all the
time. Perhaps the increases were
necessary, not knowing the finan-
cial status of the concerns we are
not in a position to say, but it
would have been better to leave
that to be handled by the govern-
ment, rather than by the govern-
ment. At all events Mr. Burleson's
experiment has not been a success.

The News would advise every
editor in Oklahoma to turn his
office over to the devil and attend
the meeting of the state press as-
sociation at Medicine Park May 23
and 24. The association is com-
posed of a bunch of live wires who
are learning to do things other
than merely chew the rag about
hard times and the cussedness of
competitors who cut prices below
a living basis. The meetings are
big family reunions and there is
room for still more members of
the family. Besides that, Medicine

Park is a delightful spot for an
outing and with the newspaper
men turned loose on the sportive
fish in their big reservoir this will
be an occasion worth living.

A certain fellow here in town
suggested to the writer last even-
ing that he shouldn't men on the
automobile and the automobile
owner when speaking to farmers
in favor of the impending bond is-
sue for hard surfaced roads in Ok-
lahoma. We can't yet figure out
what he wants when we stop to
consider that the majority of the
Fords in the United States are
owned by farmers, to say nothing
of a big per cent of the more
stylish benzine buggies.

It is the nature of civilized men
to feel some pity for the fellow
who is down and out and facing
more trouble, but the case of the
former kaiser and his officers there
will be none if they face trial for
their crimes. Their arrogance be-
fore the war and ruthless and in-
human cruelty during its progress
has alienated every feeling of hu-
man sympathy and the world will
applaud if they are condemned to
pay the penalty for their crimes
against civilization and humanity.

EX-GOVERNOR LEE CRUCE ANSWERED

The Following Is Quoted From the
Editorial Column of the Okla-
homa City News, April 25.

The statement by Lee Cruce,
former governor, in opposition to
the \$50,000,000 road bond project,
is published in full on page 7 of
the News today.

It, with the statement by Sena-
tor J. Elmer Thomas, published
some time ago, constitutes the
chief documentary expression of the
negative side.

Lee Cruce is a sincere man. He
has the courage of his convictions.
But, in the opinion of the News,
he has missed the heart of the
whole good roads subject, in his
discussion today.

The outstanding feature of the
Cruce statement is this:
That he regards the whole
proposition as an EXPENSE and
overlooks entirely the INVEST-
MENT.

He warns of the cost.
He fears the debt.

But he doesn't take into consid-
eration the question of whether, thru
the expenditure for good roads,
more money will be returned than
is spent.

THE NEWS CONTENTS THAT
MORE MONEY, MANY FOLD—
WILL BE RETURNED.

If the world had followed the
Cruce theory of regarding hazard-
ous the investment which increas-
es efficiency we would still be us-
ing spinning wheels.

A newspaper, for example, would
never spend thousands of dollars
for linotypes if the investment did
not pay. It would continue to set
type by hand.

We can debate this financial
thing up one side and down the
other—we can pick the bill apart,
and put it together again; we can
object to this and commend that
clause or paragraph or section—
but we can't get away from the
fact that good roads when we once
get them PAY.

How they pay can be found in
hundreds of public records, from
the capital at Washington on down.
We could print this paper full of
examples showing how money is
saved, time is saved, man-power,
horse-power and motor-power are
saved by good roads.

roads, unbuilt, and conceived in the
mind of a false prophet of econo-
my who has lived most of his life
in a state that knows good roads
not.

Kramer says:
"I sincerely trust that your
election on May 6 will carry in
favor of the bond issue. If the
citizens of the wonderful state of
Oklahoma could only see some of
the remarkable developments that
have followed in the wake of im-
proved roads in Mississippi and
other southern states, there would
hardly be a vote against your bond
issue."

"Even in the hill counties of this
state, where the average land is
not fertile, being for the most part
cut-over pine lands, a remarkable
enhancement of value has immedi-
ately followed the construction of
hard surfaced highways. Among
many such counties are Pike, Lin-
coln, Copiah, Hinds and Madison,
and others that have built systems
of hard surfaced roads. Lands that
could not be sold at \$5 per acre,
considered heretofore, especially by
investors outside of the state as
waste lands, and practically inac-
cessible, are selling today at from
\$25 to \$75 per acre."

"In Madison county, Judge W.
H. Powell, a few years ago sold
1,000 acres at \$6 per acre, and was
glad to get that price. After the
roads were improved, the same
place sold for \$35 per acre, and
could not be bought today for \$50
per acre."

"Another place in the same county
consisting of 2,000 acres, a few
years ago sold for \$10 per acre
and was considered at that time a
top price. It was sold after the
roads were built for \$30 per acre
and is now not for sale."

"In Lincoln county where the
lumber and logs were hauled to the
railroad, the teams employed in
this work hauled three loads to the
end of the hard surfaced roads,
and then took three loads into one
to the railroad over the hard sur-
faced roads."

"It is plain to all now that it
takes less feed to keep up teams,
and they do three times as much
work on the same feed."

"The wear and tear on vehicles
has been so greatly reduced until
some of the repair shops have gone
out of business."

"Since we have been building
roads in this state the schools have
been wonderfully improved, be-
cause of better attendance and the
churches in the country are be-
coming as good as those in town."

"Surely it behooves your people
to construct improved roads now
while you have at hand the natural
resources of the state. Later on,
perhaps it would cost the agricul-
tural interests considerable more
money to build the roads."

"I wish that it was possible for
me to show your people what an
important part improved road con-
struction would play in the life of
your state. It means health, com-
fort and riches to its people. Every-
body can use a highway and all
classes are served by it, and it re-
lieves to a great extent the burden
of the poor man and helps to re-
duce the high cost of living. Good
roads mean that food can be de-
livered to the farms cheaper. Good
roads will bring people to your
already prosperous state. It means
that they will become better ac-
quainted with you and you will
become better acquainted with each
other."

That letter also answers another
of Cruce's main contentions, name-
ly, that the proposed bill is unfair
to the farmers.

Do you suppose the Mississippi
farmer, whose land, by the coming
of good roads, was increased in
value from \$5 to \$50 per acre, ob-
jects to the part of the good road
cost he pays?

We have in mind a farmer who
once sold his land to avoid paying
taxes on a new drainage ditch. He
got \$25 per acre. If he had kept
the land until the drainage ditch
was in operation he could have sold
for \$100 per acre. Do you think
the man who sold for \$25 now
thinks the harbinger of woe who
advised him to sell and avoid the
tax?

The fact of the matter is, if any
one gets the best of it in this bill,
the farmer does. By its terms no
hard surfaced road is built by state
money within the limits of incorpo-
rated towns or cities—only through
the country.

The ex-governor objects to the
fact that provision for bridge build-
ing is not contained in the bill. He
apparently forgets that the routes
as outlined follow the present main
traveled highways on which most
bridge construction at county ex-
pense, already has been completed.

He emphasizes the highway de-
partment argument, which already
has been advanced many times by
Senator Thomas. He thinks the
present state highway department
should be able to take on this extra



Banish Pain

THERE is no use talking—no one
can work or play when they are not
feeling well and strong. Life without
health and strength, is a mere painful,
pleasureless existence.

One of the most important conditions
of good health is to keep the kidneys
normal and active. When weak or de-
stroyed, they do not filter out of the blood the impurities
that should be eliminated from the system.
When these impurities remain, the blood stream
is poisoned and pain and suffering result.

Foley Kidney Pills

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with kidney trouble, and after having tried other
remedies for the same, I purchased a bottle of
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only did me more good than any other kidney
remedies I ever have used, but they positively
cured my kidney trouble. Other members of my
family have used them with similar results."

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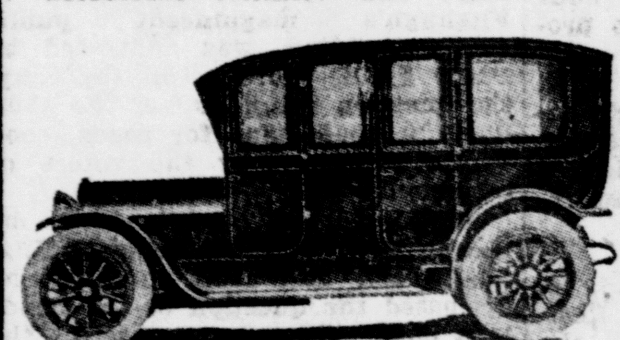


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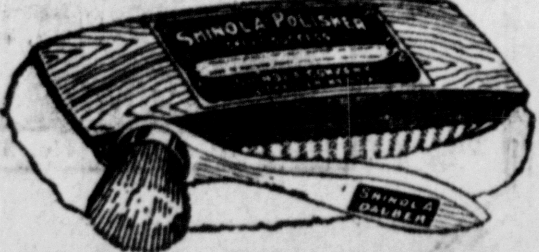
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Rev. Pendergraft will preach for us Sunday, May 4, at 11 o'clock a. m. Everybody come out.
Ray Stilwell visited his sister at Maxwell Saturday and Sunday.
We have a new pupil this week—Orel Allan.
Several of the farmers of this community commenced planting cotton this morning.
Private Arthur Herrin, who belonged to the 90th Division until

his discharge two weeks ago, is at home with his parents. He was in several battles and was lucky to get off after having been gassed only once.
Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Sunday.
Concie and Birdie Casey spent Saturday night with Dorchie Golden.
Sinia and Zona Tatum spent Sunday at Knox.
Lots of the people of this com-

munity were in town Saturday for the purpose of seeing the big tank. Bruce Casey spent Sunday at Colbert visiting his cousin.
Mr. Jim Pate is spending this week at Mr. Jim Norton's.
Myrtle and Oma Norton spent Monday at Mattie Harkey's.
EDONBY.

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Home Sweet Home

A WANDERER stood in the darkened street, looking through the window at a happy family within. The scene represented home to him—the home he did not have—the home his soul longed for.

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COMMENT ON ADA'S NEW SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Dr. Chas. Evans, who was recently in the city in the interest of Harlow's Weekly, has the following to say about the new buildings for the public school and East Central Normal:

Superintendent Hickman of Ada and Principal Fentem were rejoicing over the coming victory of a school bond issue for a much needed ward building. A. L. Fentem, the pioneer Normal school teacher and leader of educational work in the Pontotoc region for years, has been placed in charge of the Ada high school and he has felt the need of more room with a rapidly expanding city feeding in high school pupils by the score. The bonds were almost unanimously voted as planned and these good school men of Ada will find not only an expansion of grade life possible but of high school work as well. Ada has knocked off another glory apple from the educational tree in that the East Central state normal school not only secured more liberal appropriations than ever before but ran the Normal schools of the entire state a merry race for first honors in getting a \$100,000 building. Dr. J. M. Gordon, the president, is elated. Hon. Luther Harrison, the senator from that district, and representatives Ebey and Crawford are all feeling extra good as they should because of this fine achievement. Durant State Normal followed suit. It is reported, with a \$100,000 structure, Alva came on with a \$50,000 gymnasium building while Dr. Eskridge at Weatherford, while not asking for a building, did ask for special appropriation for repairs and equipment and secured them. This forging ahead of what was once the smaller State Normal schools in building and leading out for more liberal appropriations and securing them, marks a new epoch in State Normal school life in Oklahoma. Heretofore it has been otherwise. Ada and her hustling Chamber of Commerce, the East Central and city schools, all are to be congratulated upon her educational triumph.

FAMILY ROW STOPPED COMMUNIZING PLAN

BUDAPEST, April 21 (Correspondence of The Associated Press)—It was due to a family quarrel that Hungary escaped having its women "communized" after the fashion in the Russian republic of Saroff, rather than to the abhorrence of Bela Kun to the scheme as the latter afterwards stated. The law to communize women was actually framed and in the printer's hands ready for publication when Herr Weltner, one of the cabinet of bright young men who are now ruling the fate of the former kingdom, went home for supper. During the meal he told his wife and his mother-in-law in glowing terms about the projected reforms.

"What are you doing for women?" they asked.
Weltner then explained that in future women would be free too; that they would be permitted to choose their own husbands and discard them if they liked by the simple process of paying a few cents for a legal paper declaring their "unfitness" for married life. Further conversation developed the fact that the new law also gave husbands the same right; that children might be turned over to the care of the state so that both husband and wife could get rid of the duties and responsibilities of rearing their offspring.

"Do you mean to tell me that you can get rid of me from one day to another and marry the next day if you like?" demanded young Frau Weltner.

"That's how the law stands," replied the husband.
Then the storm broke. Both wife and mother-in-law began to scream and a frenzied scene ensued, the upshot of which was that the women demanded that Weltner should get the law stopped or they would leave him at once and would never, get all the wives, mothers and mothers-in-law of all the ministers to do the same.

Weltner in the interest of his home comfort and peace eventually promised to do his best and use his influence with his members through his paper, the People's Voice, to get the law rescinded. He went to the telephone and had a conversation with Bela Kun and the other ministers and then called up the printers, telling them that no proofs needed to be "pulled" from the forms where the law lay. He also ordered that the type should be melted up and the copy destroyed.

It was thus that the law died.

WORSTELL.

Everyone around Worstell enjoyed the fine rain the last of the week. "Was quite a help to the farmers."

Sunday School was well attended Sunday afternoon. All reports were fine.

Singing at Mr. Medley's Sunday evening was greatly enjoyed.

Henry Rogers and Clarence Winn made a trip across the river Monday.

Mrs. J. J. Stanger is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Crow. She will be with her for the coming week.

Miss Audra Bray from Galley is visiting relatives and friends in this community this week.

The pupils who took their examinations at Maxwell, Mr. Roper, Mr. Winn and Miss Medley, have all received their grades and the reports are very good.

Mr. and Mrs. Crow were in Bebee Monday evening.

A program will be given by the pupils the last day of school, the 19th of May. Everyone is invited to come.

Clarence Winn, Henry Roper, Zeak Abernathy, Tom Brewer and

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And Sour Stomach Caused This Lady Much Suffering. Black-Draught Relieved.

Meadowville, Ky.—Mrs. Pearl Patrick, of this place, writes: "I was very constipated. I had sour stomach and was so uncomfortable. I went to the doctor. He gave me some pills. They weakened me and seemed to tear up my digestion. They would gripe me and afterwards it seemed I was more constipated than before. I heard of Black-Draught and decided to try it. I found it just what I needed. It was an easy laxative, and had no bad effects. My digestion soon improved. I got well of the sour stomach, my bowels soon seemed normal, no more griping, and I would take a dose now and then, and was in good shape."

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Thedford's Black-Draught has for many years been found of great value in the treatment of stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy to take, gentle and reliable in its action, leaving no bad after-effects, it has won the praise of thousands of people who have used it. NC-188

Misses Mandy Medley, Viola Medley, Eunice and Andrea Barker, Audra Bray and Mrs. Barker all enjoyed themselves at Mr. Charley Crow's home Monday night. Singing and music was enjoyed.

Claude Chestnut and Miss Audra Bray attended Sunday School Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Magar was visiting Mrs. Russell Monday evening.

Mrs. Barker was in Bebee Monday.

Come on, Galley, we like to hear from you. HAYSEED.

Bring in that picture and let me frame it for you.—C. A. Cummins.

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WANT ADS

LOST

LOST—New Kelly-Springfield casing, U. S. inner tube and new Dodge rim; will pay \$5 for return. Leave at News office. J. R. Ford. 4-28-21

LOST—Either in Ada or between Ada and Francis, dust pan off Reo. Finder leave at F. A. Ford's Garage. Liberal reward.—J. R. Chandler. 4-29-21td-1tw

LOST—Black leather purse containing \$50.00 Liberty Bond; 5 War Savings Stamps; \$9 in money and lady's Waltham watch. Finder return to T. H. Armstrong at Singer Sewing Machine office, 320 E. Main. Reward. 4-30-21

FOUND

FOUND—1919 auto license tag. Owner can get same by paying for this ad. 4-3-21

WANTED

WANTED—Sewing. 514 W. 14th. 4-30-21

WANTED—Woman to do washing at the house.—Mrs. P. A. Norris. 4-30-21

WANTED—To trade for car, 2 lots in Oklahoma City, \$100.00 in War Savings Stamps and some money.—F. H. Cochran. 4-29-21

WANTED—experienced brick wheelers, excellent pay.—The Coffeyville Vitified Brick & Tile Co., Fort Smith, Ark. 4-29-21

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MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms. See Mrs. Kiersey, 216 E. 14th. 4-28-21

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FOR RENT—2 room house near glass factory. See Harvey Luther. 4-28-21

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FOR RENT—Room and board, close in.—Mrs. Lon A. Braly. Phone 334. 4-17-19

FOR RENT—4 room modern house close in. Phone 73 or 338.—L. A. Braly. 4-29-21

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room house 930 East 9th.—Mrs. Van Meter, 123 South Hope. 4-17-19

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with running water.—Mrs. Laura Blackburn, 230 East 12th. Telephone 654. 4-16-19

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Old house, cheap. Call 313. 4-30-21

FOR SALE—Railroad claim blanks. The Ada News.

FOR SALE—Remington Typewriter. Phone 594. 4-15-19

FOR SALE—My five room residence, corner Sixth and Cherry.—T. W. Brydia. 4-29-21

FOR SALE—Large work mule. Will sell or trade for milk cow. Telephone 630. 4-28-21

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FOR SALE—I have two of the best lots in the city for sale at a bargain. Will sell lots No. 13 and 14 in Block No. 102 located about 2 1/2 blocks west of postoffice on South side of Twelfth street for \$500 cash.—C. R. Overley, Harrisburg, Ill., Box 331. 4-29-21

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THURSDAY, MAY 1

(Was It)

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OKLAHOMA PAPERS ON GOOD ROADS

Plea for Good Roads.

Much of the favorable comment, of which there is a large volume, is a plea for good roads, upon which both the supporters and opponents of the measure agree. But the Cherokee Messenger, Woodward Democrat, Eufaula Indian Journal, Pawhuska Journal, Idabel Democrat-Record, Welch Watchman, Newkirk Democrat-Herald, Marietta Monitor, Madill Record, Durant News and a large number of other papers insist that the issuance of bonds is the only means by which good roads can be secured at once.

"There should be no opposition to the hard-surfaced road bond issue," asserts the Enid Eagle, in this vein. "We have been talking about these roads for years here in Garfield county and so far outside of city streets have not a single mile of hard-surfaced roads. Fault will be found with any plan, and opposition will naturally develop no matter what future scheme may be submitted to the voters. There appears to be no reason why federal aid cannot be secured under this proposed bond issue as well as by any other plan now in the contemplation. What we think the State of Oklahoma needs and what the people want now is hard surfaced roads and we want them just as fast as they can be built and the sooner the better. The only way we can secure them is to vote for the \$50,000,000 bond issue on May 6."

Work for Soldiers.

The same paper argues that one strong point for the bonds is that it will furnish jobs for returning soldiers, and this view is supported strongly by the Oklahoma Federationist, the official organ of the state federation of labor, the Tulsa World, Ardmoreite and the Miami Record-Herald.

Charges that "special interests" are opposing the bond issue and expressions of faith in the state administration to see that the money is honestly expended are contained in the comment of the Federationist. Paul Valley Free Lance, Enid News, Miami Record-Herald, Paul Valley Enterprise and the Ardmoreite and the Bee, at Ardmore, suggests, "Some people don't want to go into politics till politics are perfect, good roads building till road laws are made to suit them; but such arguments indefinitely postpone all public improvements."

About the Cost.

A number of papers, including the Ardmoreite, Enid News, Eufaula Indian Journal, Tulsa Democrat and Shawnee News-Herald agree that the system of roads outlined by the legislature cannot be built with \$50,000,000 but insist that the issuance of the bonds will insure federal aid, thereby increasing the fund available, according to some estimates, to \$74,000,000.

"The bill does not fix the width of the roads that are to be built," the Tulsa Democrat explains, on the question of cost. "The intention is to construct them wider where there is a great deal of traffic and narrower where the travel is lighter. The narrowest will be nine feet. Throughout the country the best engineers know from experience that the cost of the best hard-surfaced roads is \$1,000 per mile foot—that is, the cost of such roads is \$1,000 for every strip of road a foot wide and a mile long."

The Ardmoreite goes into detail in figuring out the interest costs and revenues claimed to bear the cost, as follows:

First Year.

Bonds issued, \$6,000,000; amount drawing interest \$6,000,000; amount of interest \$270,000; amt. of bonds to be retired, \$2,000,000; total cost for the year \$2,270,000; available from state's two-thirds of automobile and gross production taxes, \$3,000,000; balance to be turned into general revenue fund, \$730,000.

Second Year.

Issued, \$6,000,000; drawing interest, \$10,000,000; interest, \$450,000; to be retired, \$2,000,000; total cost, \$2,450,000; available, \$3,500,000; balance, \$1,050,000.

Third Year.

Issued, \$13,000,000; drawing interest, \$21,000,000; interest, \$945,000; to be retired, \$2,000,000; total cost, \$2,945,000; balance, \$1,180,000.

Fourth Year.

Issued, \$12,500,000; drawing interest, \$31,500,000; interest, \$1,417,000; to be retired, \$2,000,000; total cost, \$3,417,500; available, \$4,473,500; balance, \$1,056,000.

Fifth Year.

Issued, \$12,500,000; drawing interest, \$42,000,000 (the entire fifty millions has now been issued and the pinnacle of interest reached); interest, \$1,890,000; to be retired, \$2,000,000; total cost, \$3,890,000; available, \$4,473,500; balance, \$583,500.

Argument for Issuing Bonds.

The strongest appeal for the

necessity of issuing bonds comes from the Shawnee News-Herald, which says:

It was well known, and generally accepted, that such a system as the state needs could not be constructed on the piece-meal, "pay-as-you-go" plan. The legislature couldn't even give the countless facilities for dirt roads without authorizing the counties to issue interest-bearing bonds.

No one even conceived it possible to build a great system of roads with the issuance of bonds. How could anyone expect a great undertaking, such as was contemplated, to be carried through within a generation, without the issue of bonds?

Without bond issues the counties would not have had even the meagre road facilities they now have; farmers would still have been dragging through the sand, or waiting for the rivers to run down at the bottoms to dry up.

And you can't get money on bonds unless you pay interest.

It has remained for Senator Thomas and the Oklahoma people to have to pay interest on the bonds for twenty years. Aren't the counties paying interest on their road bonds on the old system? Why didn't Senator Thomas and the Oklahoma raise the question against the county system, (which is now in force with their approval), and say the counties should not issue bonds, but pay as they go?

Did anybody ever know of a great enterprise of an industrial nature to be carried through on the pay-as-you-go plan? What would our cities do for paved streets, if they had refused to issue bonds and went on the pay-as-you-go plan? How many railroads would have been built without bonds? Not one! But for the railroads, Oklahoma would still be an Indian hunting ground, rendezvous for outlaws from all over the world. But railroads have reached the limit of their usefulness, and a provision for improved facilities of transportation to meet the demands of advancing civilization is just as necessary now as the railroads were to redeem the wilderness.

Don't the cities pay interest on their paved streets and on their school houses? Yes, but they are getting the benefits in the present use. Don't the people pay interest on railroad bonds? Yes, but they are getting the benefits in present use.

This objection that we should not pay interest on road bonds is the worst nonsense that ever emanated from a respectable source. And if enough of the people can be fooled by such nonsense to vote down the bond bill then, indeed, our state is hopeless 'till a new generation comes along capable of meeting the situation.

Are Farmers Opposed?

The Weatherford Booster denies the oft-claimed condition that the farmers, as a rule, are lined up against the bonds while the cities are giving them strongest support. "It is wrong, however, to let the discussion of the bill be tainted with the assertion that the farmers are lined up on one side and the town folks on the other," that paper asserts. "The interests of both classes are the same, and any assertion to the contrary is mere bunkum."

Special appeals to the farmers, on the value of hard-surfaced roads in the marketing of crops, are made by state senator John Golobie, by the Guthrie State Register, and by the Seminole News and, on the question of favoritism in road mapping, Luther Harrison, member of the state senate from Ada, has this to say:

Senator J. Elmer Thomas says that the proposed road map was laid out to get votes and not for the purpose of building roads. He places the brand of duplicity on the entire map. In this editor's senatorial district there is a mileage on the road map of only ninety-seven miles, while in Senator Thomas' district there is a mileage of 257 miles. Both Senator Thomas and the Star-Democrat editor were members of the state roads committee and helped to locate this mileage. If this mileage was located for reasons of duplicity, Senator Thomas was more than two and one-half times as duplicitous as the writer of this paragraph. He never told the committee he was trying to load the map. He got all the mileage he could, and, like Oliver Twist, he wanted more. But J. Elmer always was sly—devilish sly.

"Senator Thomas' plan would eventually get just as many miles of roads built in twenty-five years without a bond issue as Governor Robertson's plan would get in four years by issuing bonds," concludes the Southwestern Press, Elk City. "There are voters who never supported a bond issue in their lives, and probably never will, but they are not the class of citizenship that has made Oklahoma."

HAY FEVER SUFFERER

TELLS HOW HE FOUND RELIEF. IT MIGHT PAY OTHERS TO TRY THE REMEDY.

Millville, N. J.—"I was run down could not sleep at night and entirely worn out with Hay Fever. I have charge of golf links, but had to lay off for weeks at a time. My druggist asked me to try Vinol. Three bottles entirely cured me and I am healthier and have been stronger than I have been for twenty years. Every person who suffers from Hay Fever should try Vinol."—Sam'l Flickinger.

Vinol contains the tonic properties necessary to enrich the blood and impart health to nerves, muscles and tissue.—Gwin & Mays Drug Company and Druggists Everywhere.

P. S.—If you have skin trouble try Saxol Salve. Money back if it fails. (Adv.)

No Methodist Prayer Meeting. On account of the Nazarene revival in the City Park we are calling in our prayer meeting for this evening. Doubtless many of our people will want to attend the revival in the big tent.—Wallace M. Crutchfield, Pastor.

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12 lbs. Pearl Hominy \$1.00
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Bulk Peanut Butter, lb., 25c
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Nice size Grapefruits, each 10c

4 Boxes Matches 25c
10 lbs. Sugar \$1.00

Try a Sack of PURITAN FLOUR
Makes those two-story biscuits.

None better, few as good as ST. CHARLES COFFEE
Large Can, \$1.25

Pay Cash—Pay Less

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Smith sells refrigerator.

Have your Photo made at West's.

Mrs. A. Lewis spent the evening with her husband in Francis.

Reliable white woman wanted for housework.—Mrs. P. A. Norris.

Lt. C. C. Chauncey returned Tuesday night to his post of duty at Arcadia, Florida.

Did you ever see a Real Battery Outfit? Come in and see one.—Grant Irwin.

Mrs. M. L. Sowers returned Tuesday from a week-end visit with her relatives in Denison, Texas.

Mrs. Frank Blair of Stonewall came in Tuesday for a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barringer.

Mrs. Goeter of Francis returned home this morning after having been the Tuesday night guest of Mrs. Orville Sheard.

Eveready Battery to fit your car in stock. Guaranteed one and one-half years by the factory. Try one, your trouble will end.—Grant Irwin, Phone No. 2.

Mrs. Ray W. Reed returned Tuesday to her home in Wewoka after having spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kyser.

Grant Irwin has the largest battery outfit in town. We do nothing but the best class of work, try us. We don't peddle Hot Air. 4-28-31

Supt. A. Floyd left this morning for Oklahoma City where he goes to attend the National Conference of Rural Education and County Superintendents' meeting, which will be in session there four days beginning tonight.

Grant Irwin has only First Class Workmen. If your car is not in tip top shape, we can fix it. We don't experiment. Phone 2.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Scheinberg of 119 W. 17th have as their guests their daughter, Mrs. L. Saul and baby Neville, of Columbus, Ga., and their niece, Miss Sarah Applebaum, of St. Louis, Mo.

Milk from cows that stood the tuberculin test is the milk that you should use. Try it and satisfy yourself. Phone 780. 4-30-61*

That Ada is becoming quite a shopping center is evidenced every day. Among the out-of-town shoppers Tuesday from Francis were Mrs. O. L. Christopher, Miss Marion Hamilton, Mrs. H. H. Hudson, Mrs. Felix Deaton, and Mrs. Bert Sheppy of Fort Scott.

When you want milk and it to come from a pure herd of cows that is free from tuberculin, phone 780. 4-30-61*

Mr. B. H. Frick returned last evening from a three weeks' business trip to Corsicana, Texas, and nearby points. Mr. Frick is interested in some extensive oil operations in that locality and reports excellent progress and paying production.

Don't forget where to get your oil and gas leases, assignments, releases, etc. Ada News office, 4-30-1f

Mrs. H. M. Marshall of Dallas arrived today for a visit with her son Arthur Marshall. She came directly from Bokchito, where she had been visiting another son, Mrs. Marshall has reached the hill-top of her journey and her brow is frosted by the winters of life, but on being asked by the reporter if she were tired, replied, "No, not at all weary."

Get Rid of That Persistent Cough

Stop that weakening, persistent cough or cold, threatening throat or lung affections, with Eckman's Alternative, the tonic and expectorant of 20 years' successful use. 80c and \$1.50 bottles from druggists, or from

Eckman Laboratories, Philadelphia

S. H. Mount returned this morning from a business trip to Dallas. C. V. Gowing left Tuesday afternoon on a business trip to Kansas City.

Miss Lois Keller of Coalgate, who has been the guest of Miss Myrtle White, returned this morning to her home.

R. S. Moore is in receipt of a wire from his son Lucian stating that he had arrived safely from overseas and was then in New York.

Mrs. Evan Maxwell returned this morning to her home in Waxahachie, Texas, after having been the guest for ten days of her sister, Mrs. L. J. Fleming.

K. C. Parks is in receipt of a message to the effect that his brother, W. W. Parks, of Cuero, Texas, has been stricken with paralysis. He will leave Wednesday for that place.

W. W. Pryor, Al Nichols, Frank Grall and A. F. Polk of Wewoka and Tom Cristwell of Seminole were in the city today attending the hearings on bills in the Grisso case.

Marvin Brown and Luther Harrison will go to Stonewall this evening to talk on the road bond proposition. President Gordon and others will go to Center on a like mission.

T. A. Clarke, charged with false pretense, was given a hearing before Justice Brown who fixed his bond at \$500.

F. R. Morgan, of Hugo, Oklahoma, returned home this morning after having been a business visitor in the city for several days. Mr. Morgan is a property owner here and anticipates building another residence on West Ninth street.

J. W. Davis has moved his automobile business to the Zorn building on North Broadway, opposite the News office.

Fredy Guinn has arrived, bearing his discharge from Camp Shelby, Mississippi, and wearing that same old happy smile that looks good to his many friends. Guinn left in June, 1918, for his visit with the Huns, but since he has returned safe and sound it seems that the Hun did not give him such a warm reception as was anticipated. The reporter has heard several commendable things in regard to Guinn while in service, but he insists that he is neither a war hero nor a politician, and consequently deserves no "write-up."

ADA RED CROSS COMPLETES QUOTA

All of the work now on hand at the Red Cross headquarters was finished Tuesday which completes the quota for this chapter. Those who worked so zealously yesterday in lieu of finishing the last seam are the shadows began to fall were:

Mrs. L. A. Ellison, Chairman; Mesdames W. A. Barrett, F. L. Finley, R. A. Herndon, Roane Suggs, R. E. Haynes, Charlie Ray, and J. T. Roff and Miss Sallie Fulton.

Those women who have gone day after day to the Red Cross rooms and saved, leaving their homes and no doubt giving "John" a little less to eat have certainly proved themselves friends of the American soldiers. Those few who met Tuesday to finish up the job bent over their tasks with a feeling to that of a band of school girls' last day at school, when each realized that the tedious tasks were about to be completed, that their machines would soon be closed and they would no longer gather for their sewing bee, that the ties of friendship which have bound them as social workers and as neighbors will to a great extent be severed, brought a feeling of sadness mingled with joy to those who have so earnestly served humanity by giving their efforts to the Red Cross, sewing sometimes with light hearts and sometimes with heavy hearts—but always sewing—the memories of those hours will not soon pass away.

Corbett Cook.

Mr. Dock Corbett and Miss Susie Cook were united in marriage at the bride's home last Sunday afternoon in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

The bride was gowning in a most charming costume of pink georgette and the house was beautifully decorated with wild flowers.

After the ceremony a most bountiful dinner was served the assembled guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbett will make their home in Ada.

WALDRUP'S DATES.

Speaker Tom Waldrup of the House of Representatives will address the citizens of Roff on the road bonds question.

Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. At 5 o'clock he will deliver an address at Francis.

Ada Postoffice Force Gets Feed.

This morning the postoffice force of Ada was presented with a fine fruit cake by Mrs. Ada Berry as a token of her appreciation, for extra service given her overseas mail from Dr. Berry who has been in France with the Medical force.

Strangers coming into Ada

Find it easy to distinguish the representative clothing store of the community.

Window arrangements of course count in this as in everything else, but the fact that we have MICHAEL'S STERN Spring suits in the windows, and fair, honest prices on the suits is the telling count that tells the passer by that we're clean, cut from dome to doorstep.

And once the stranger comes inside and sees how we treat our customers, he's pretty apt to forget that there's any other clothing store in business.

New Spring Suits arriving daily—\$25 to \$50

Drummond & Allison THE MAN'S STORE

WANT ADS

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Good Dodge car, 5 passenger. Call 644. 4-30-31*

LOST—Saturday, bunch of kodak pictures with Rosa Vahner name on them. Finder please leave at News office. 4-30-1t

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. Couple without children. Phone 690. 800 East 8th. 4-30-1f

FOR SALE—Furniture for four rooms; purchaser may rent rooms where furniture now is. Phone 900. 412 East 14th St.

LILLIAN GISH HAS CHARMING ROLE IN BIG GRIFFITH FILM.

Paramount Star Rollicking Girl in "The Greatest Thing in Life."

To see Miss Lillian Gish as Jeanette in "The Greatest Thing in Life," is to see her in a role entirely different from any in which she has recently appeared. The picture is an Arctur production by David Wark Griffith and will be shown at the American Theater tomorrow, May 1st.

It presents Miss Gish as a rollicking girl, half hoyden, half dreamer. Her old father, who is homesick for his native France, keeps a little tobacco and newstand in New York city. Jeanette has to tidy up the living rooms, and attend customers.

Very happy is she with today, but tomorrow is of great interest, too, for then will come her hero, a strong, brave man who loves the world as she does and likes to dream too. At first she thought Edward Livingston might be the man. He was an elegant New York chap, but he called her a simp one day, and left before she could really express her thoughts with the rigorous force they reserved.

Then she went to France with her daddy. When a young giant with a basket of vegetables arrived for the daily delivery at her Aunt's shop, and found the American girl wonderful, Jeanette had a new hero to consider. But he would eat garlic, and Cupid never rode to conquest on the waves of garlic fumes.

Livingston visited France, crossing the ocean to deliver an apology. He shared her delight in poetry and he was clean and fine, but he hated children. She knew then he could never be her ideal, and she returned to Mon. Le Bebe. Then war changed many things for Little Jeanette. It changed Livingston too. And in the end she knew Livingston was her ideal.

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A Great Musical Concert

The Ladies of the First Baptist Church Have Secured the Best Combination of Musical Artists in the State for a Program Which Will be Given at the

Normal Auditorium Thursday Evening, May 1, at 8:30 o'clock

If You Are a Music Lover, Do not Miss This Opportunity.

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